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Presence sensor
with 360° detection area

Code: EK-DH4-TP

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KNX bus device for movement and presence detection intended for use in outdoor KNX installations.

Description

The ekinex® presence sensor EK-DH4-TP is a wall- or ceiling-mount Passive Infrared (PIR) motion detector, for the detection of movement and presence of people in outdoor spaces with a coverage area of up to 360°. The detection area can be extended using other sensors configured as slave devices. An integrated light sensor, combined with the motion detector, can manage light switching depending on brightness level as well as presence. The device has two distinct output channels for lighting, with independent parameters; the operation can be automatic or semi automatic. The device is also capable of maintaining a constant brightness level by controlling a dimmable light source.All of the above parameters can be set by the user either through ETS or by means of a dedicated IR remote during installation. The device has two additional HVAC channels, which act in a similar way as the Light Control channels but without the standby time and light level dependence. An additional alarm channel can switch the load on or off depending on the number of trigger events (movements) detected in a time frame of configurable duration.

Main features

- Semi-automatic or fully automatic operation
- Two independent Light control channels
- Two independent HVAC control channels
- One alarm channel
- An additional device can be used as slave for any of the channels
- Detection span of 360°, sectors can be masked through optical shields
- Adjustable Sensitivity, with "Walk test" to verify detection range
- Most parameters can be set from ETS or through an IR remote

Technical data:

- Rated voltage: 24 Vdc (21 - 30 Vdc) supplied by KNX bus
- Current consumption (on KNX bus): max 10 mA (operation) / 5 mA (Standby)
- Detection range: 360° circular (maskable), up to 9m diameter at 2.5m mounting height
- Light measurement range: 10..2000 Lux
- Housing, lens and frame in plastic material
- Safety standards: IEC 61000-6-1 / IEC 61000-6-3 / EN 55014 / EN 50491

Dimensions:

- Body diameter   Ø 60 mm
- Rim diameter   Ø 75 mm
- Total height   78 mm

Environmental conditions:

- Operating temperature: - 20 ... + 50°C
- Environmental protection: IP55 (Wall mount) / IP54 (ceiling mount)

Switching, display and detection elements

The device is equipped with:
- on the rear side, a programming pushbutton
- visible through the plastic lens, a blue programming LED, a red signalling LED, a PIR sensor, a brightness sensor and an IR receiver.

Operation

The sensor reacts to the thermal radiation emitted by moving bodies; the detection area is optically divided in small sections through a composite lens. A person walking in the detection area across the sections triggers the sensor.

Brightness measurement

The measurement of the room brightness is carried out by an integrated light sensor with linear output and optical filter set on the profile of the human eye.

Lighting Channels

The lighting channel has two operation modes, Automatic or Semi-automatic. The automatic mode controls both switch-on and switch-off; the semi-automatic mode only controls switch-off after a manual switch-on. The lighting source can be controlled through two different types of communication objects: On-Off switch or Absolute dimming percentage. In automatic mode, a load connected to a lighting channel will be switched on when movement is detected and (if desired) the ambient light level is below a preset brightness value. When no movement has been detected for a programmable time duration, a stand-by phase can be entered, during which the light can be dimmed to a lower intensity; if no further movement is detected, once stand-by time has expired, the light will be automatically switched off. Both the light level threshold and stand-by time functions can be disabled if not required.

HVAC Channel

The HVAC channels act in a similar way as the Light Control channels, but without the standby time and the dependence from the light level.
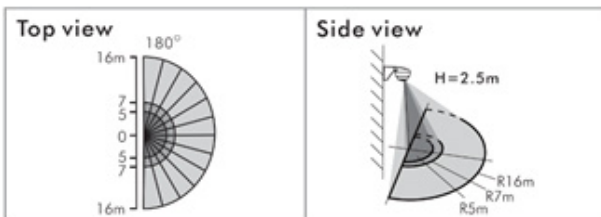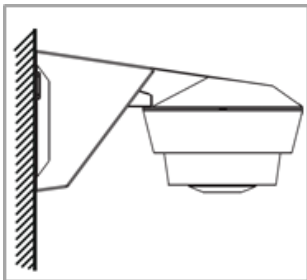
Positioning

The actual detection range of the sensors depends on the mounting height. For the EK-DH4-TP sensor, at a standard mounting height of 2.5 m, presence detection range (for small movements) is about 10 to 14 meters of diameter, while movement detection range (person walking through the detection area) is about 32 meters of diameter.
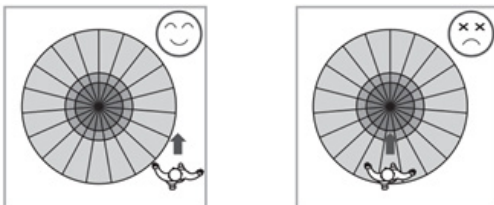
Ceiling mount
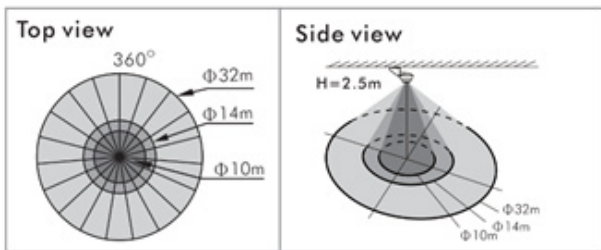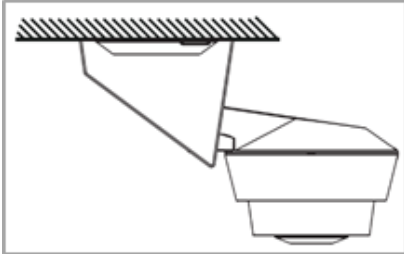
Wall mount

The optimal range is achieved walking through several portions of the detection area.

The recommended mounting height varies from 2 m up to 3 m.

Since the detector responds to temperature change, be aware that following conditions may cause lower sensitivity:
- In very foggy days, the sensitivity may be less due to moisture collecting on the lens.
- In very hot days, the sensitivity may be less since high ambient temperature is close to body temperature.
- In very cold days when heavy clothing is worn, especially if the facial area is covered, very little heat will be emitted from the body causing the unit to be less sensitive.

Please also verify following conditions during installation:

- Avoid pointing the detector toward objects with highly reflective surfaces, such as mirrors, glass, etc.
- Avoid mounting the detector very close to heat sources, such as heating vents, air conditioners, lights, etc.
- Avoid pointing the detector toward objects which may sway in air currents, such as curtains, tall plants, etc.
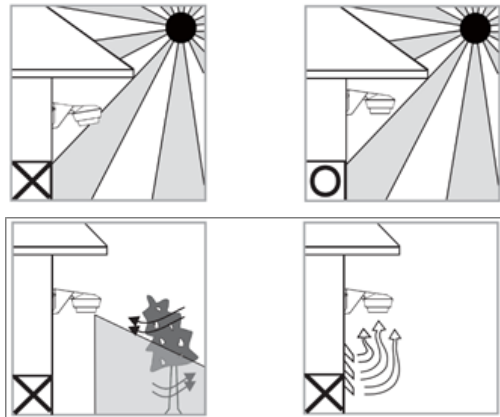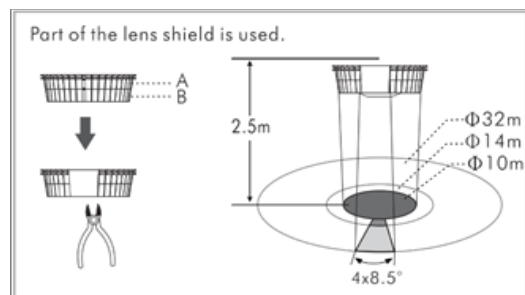

Limitation of the detection area

The detection area can be limited, in order to avoid unwanted activations, by means of the supplied optical shielding filters.


Cut the supplied shield to limit the detection area as in following figure. The shield can be cut both in sections (for radial limitation) and in length (for range diameter limitation):

Section of shield applied	Active range (h = 2.5m)
Angular section	-8.5° per section
A + B	Ø 10 m
A	Ø 14 m
None	Ø 32 m

In order to apply the shield, first remove the decorative bezel from the body. Insert the clip of the shield section on the edge of the bezel, so that it extends below. Reapply the bezel making the shield cover part of the lens; the bezel secures the shield edge against the body.
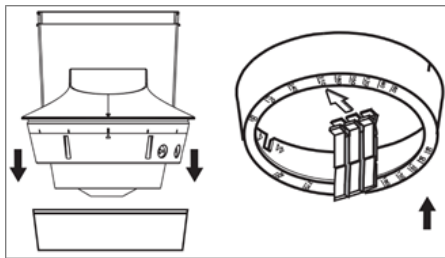
When the device is installed in place, make sure that the shield is in the correct position according to the required area masking.

Installation

 Warning! *The electrical connection of the device can be carried out only by qualified personnel. The incorrect installation may result in electric shock or fire. Before making the electrical connections, make sure the power supply has been turned off.*

 Warning! *In order to supply the KNX bus lines use only KNX bus power supplies (e.g. ekinex EK-AB1- TP or EK-AG1-TP). The use of other power supplies can compromise the communication and damage the devices connected to the bus.*

 Warning! *The sensor is a low voltage circuit; never connect it with the 230V line network. Do not run the KNX wiring in the same conduit used by line network wiring.*

The device has degree of protection IP55 (Wall mount) / IP54 (Ceiling mount), and is therefore suitable for use in an outdoor environment. During the fixing of the base plate, until the wiring is connected and possibly the sensor is tested for accuracy and correct positioning, the device can be temporarily mounted by locking it on the baseplate through a plastic hook. Once all adjustments have been made, the sensor can be eventually mounted on the base plate. For application on inner or outer corners, a corner mounting support is available as an accessory.
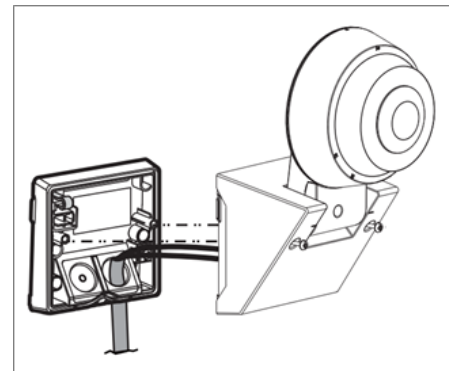
Installation procedure - Standard mount

Apply the device body to the base plate by means of the support hook:
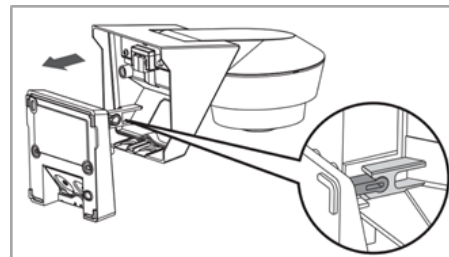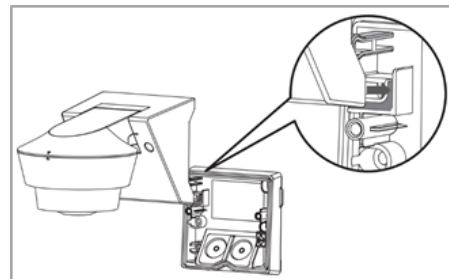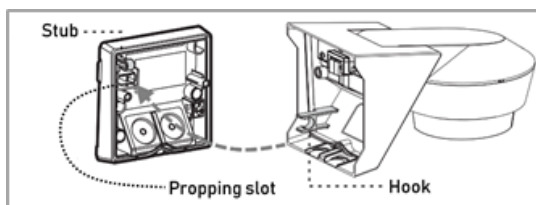

Mount the base plate on the wall / ceiling in the desired position by means of the supplied screw anchors. Drive the incoming bus cable through the rubber perforation cable guides and connect the device.
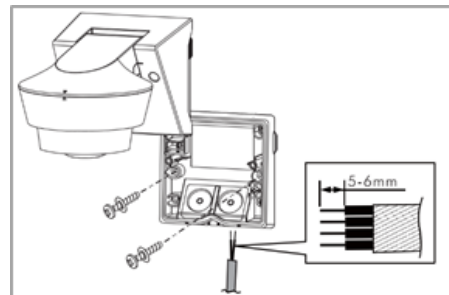
At this point it is recommended to carry out the commissioning of the device (see "Commissioning"), or at least the download of the physical address, using the programming button placed close to the bus connector; alternatively, programming mode can be activated later when the device is already installed by means of the EK-QR6-IR remote controller. Fix the sensor body to the base plate securely through its own mounting screws and finally adjust the position of the sensor head.


The sensor head can be adjusted up to 40° downward and 90° upward, and rotated horizontally max. 90° in either direction.
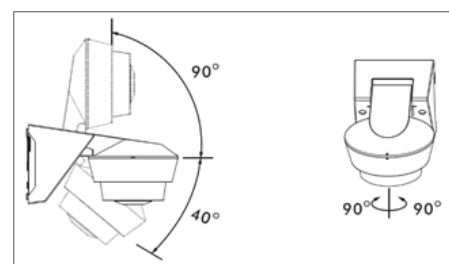
Installation procedure - European standard junction box

The standard base plate also fits the screw seats of a European standard junction box. In this case, the plate must be mounted by using two screws using the holes in the central position matching two diametrally opposite holes on the box.
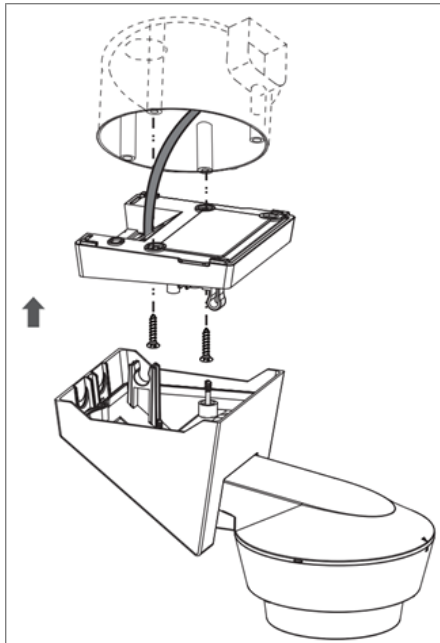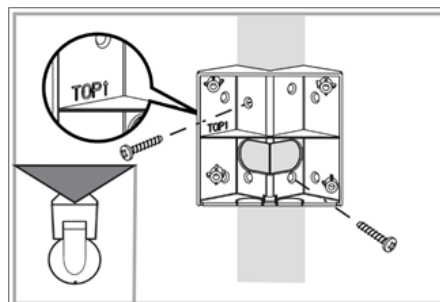

Installation procedure - Corner mount

The corner support is fitted with breakout entry holes for cables and fixing screws; identify the ones most suitable to your mounting position and pry the holes open.
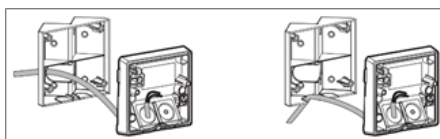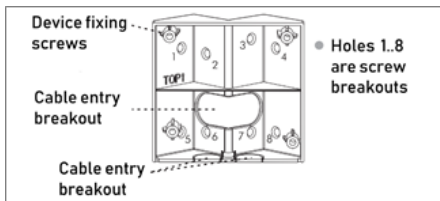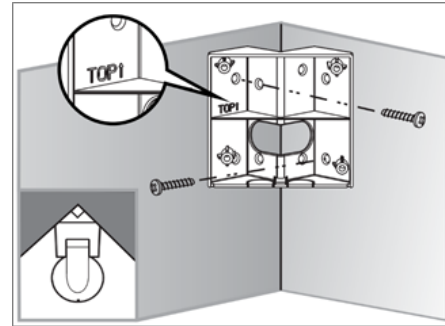

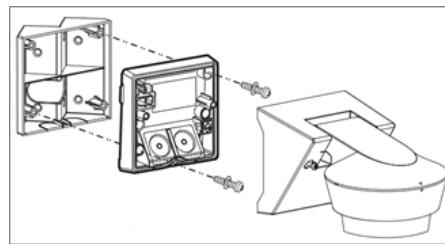Fix the corner support on two sides either on an outer or inner corner.

Outer corner mounting:

Inner corner mounting:

Fix the sensor body to the base plate securely through its own mounting screws and finally adjust the position of the sensor head.

Configuration and commissioning

Note. *The configuration and commissioning of KNX devices require specialized skills. To acquire these skills, you should attend the workshops at KNX cer- tified training centers.*

Configuration and commissioning of the device require the use of the ETS® (Engineering Tool Software) program V4 or later releases. These activities must be carried out according to the design of the building automation system done by a qualified planner. For the configuration of the device parameters the corresponding application program or the whole ekinex® product database must be loaded in the ETS program. For detailed information on configuration options, refer to the application manual of the device available on the website www.ekinex.com.

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For the commissioning of the device the following activities are required:
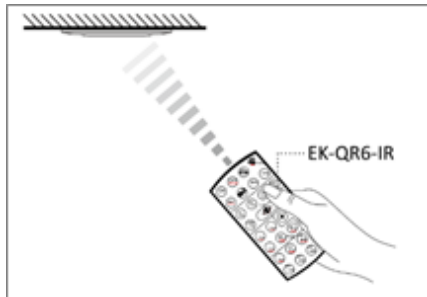
- make the electrical connections as described above;
- turn on the bus power supply;
- switch the device operation to the programming mode by pressing the programming pushbutton; the blue programming LED (visible through the device lens) turns ON;
- download into the device the physical address and the configuration with the ETS program;

at the end of the download, the operation of the device automatically returns to normal mode. During the programming process, the programming LED is turned off.
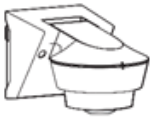
Now the bus device is programmed and ready for use.

IMPORTANT: *After a download, it takes approximately 60 s for the sensor to stabilize before it enters normal operation mode. During this settling period, the sensor may not appear to react or perform its programmed functions.*
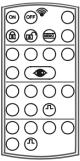
The programming pushbutton is placed on the rear side of the device, close to the KNX connector; it is therefore recommended to program at least the physical address before the device is installed on the ceiling. Once the physical address has been assigned, the device configuration can be later downloaded without pressing the programming pushbutton. If a further activation of the programming button should become necessary, the device can be switched in programming mode through the IR remote (available separately).
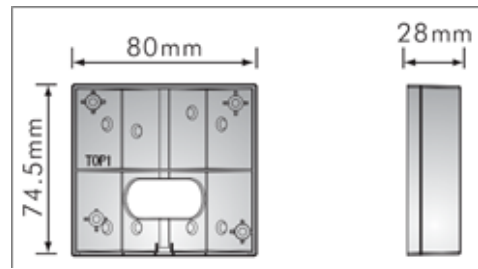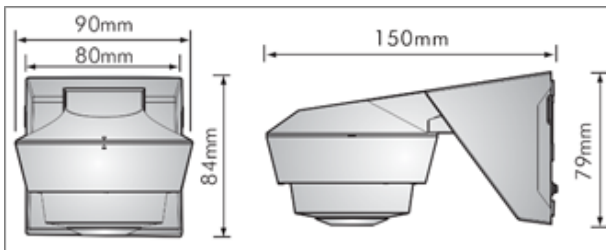

Package contents

EK-DH4-TP Sensor	Lens shield	Instruction sheet

Optional accessories

EK-QR6-IR remote controller	Corner mounting bracket

Dimensions [mm]

Marcature

• KNX
• CE: the device complies with the Low Voltage Directive (2006/95/EC) and the Electromagnetic Compatibility Directive (2004/108/EC).

Tests carried out according to:
• EN 61000-3-2
• EN 61000-3-3
• IEC/EN 61000-6-1
• IEC/EN 61000-6-3
• EN 55014
• EN 50491

Maintenance

The device is maintenance-free. To clean it, use only a dry cloth; avoid the use of detergents, solvents or other aggressive substances, particularly on the lens.

This datasheet refers to the release A1.0 of the ekinex® device EK-DH4-TP, and is available for download at www.ekinex.com as a PDF (Portable Data Format) file.

File name	Device release	Update
STEKDH4TP_EN.pdf	A1.0	03 / 2023

Disposal

At the end of its useful life the product described in this datasheet is classified as waste from electronic equipment in accordance with the European Directive 2002/96/EC (WEEE), and cannot be disposed together with the municipal undifferentiated solid waste.

Warning! *Incorrect disposal of this product may cause serious damage to the environment and human health. Please be informed about the correct disposal procedures for waste collecting and processing provided by local authorities.*

Warnings
- Installation, electrical connection, configuration and commissioning of the device can only be carried out by qualified personnel in compliance with the applicable technical standards and laws of the respective countries.
- In case of tampering, the compliance with the essential requirements of the applicable directives, for which the device has been certified, is no longer guaranteed.
- ekinex® KNX defective devices must be returned to the manufacturer at the following address: EKINEX S.p.A. Via Novara 37, I-28010 Vaprio d'Agogna (NO) Italy

Other information
- This datasheet is aimed at installers, system integrators and planners
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